

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Mr. Chairman:

Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed technical assistance agreement to include the export of major defense equipment in the amount of \$14,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to the United Arab Emirates for the sale of six C-17A Globemaster III transport aircraft including associated spares, support equipment, and aircrew and maintenance training for the United Arab Emirates Armed Forces.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:

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The Honorable

John F. Kerry, Chairman,
Committee on Foreign Relations,
United States Senate.